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REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the proposed amendments to the claims and the remarks presented herein.

The claims in the application are claims 34 to 37, 40 to 42 and 50 to 53, all other claims having been cancelled.

The Examiner refused entry of the amendment for 4 reasons on page 2 of the Office action which are obviated in the present amendment. The superfluous hyphen in claim 53 has been deleted. The suggested term has been used in claim 50 and the term "carrier" in claim 41 has been changed to "medium" which is supported. Claim 34 is non dependent on claim 53 and therefore, these objections no longer apply.

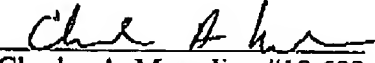
On page 3 of the Office action, the Examiner rejected claims 41 and 51 as claiming subject matter not described in the application. The Examiner objected to claim 51 as lacking support in the description for "pharmaceutical preparation in the form of a solution". However, this terminology does not appear in any of the claims now or in the amendment denied entry. Therefore, this rejection does not apply.

Claims 34 to 38, 40 to 43, 50 and 51 were indicated as being rejected as being indefinite for the reasons set forth on pages 4 and 5 of the Office action. Claim 38 which was objected to as not being properly dependent and claim 43 was rejected for reasons of record. Entry of the present amendment would cancel claims 38 and 43, thereby obviating these rejections. With

respect to claim 41, as noted above, it does not contain "said solution" so this ground of rejection does not apply. With respect to claim 50, it does contain "a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier" as the second ingredients so it is a proper composition claim and this does not apply to claim 51. Therefore, entry of the amendment obviates these rejections.

Entry of the amendment of the present amendment is requested since it is free the Examiner's rejection and objections and puts the application in better condition for appeal if not in condition for allowance.

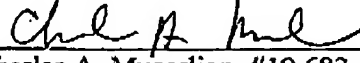
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